

**SUBSTITUTE SPECIFICATION – VERISION WITH MARKINGS TO
SHOW CHANGES MADE**

5 Abstract Of The Disclosure

~~Optical fiber cable and process for the manufacture of an optical fiber cable~~

For an optical fiber cable with a cable core ~~(9)~~, which contains at least one optical
10 transmission element ~~(1, 10)~~, and with a cable jacket ~~(7)~~ surrounding the cable
core, a plastic film ~~(11)~~ is applied over the cable core before extrusion of the cable
jacket. The plastic film contains a material, which is also contained in the cable
jacket. The cable jacket is extruded over the cable core and brought into contact
15 with the plastic film in such a way, that it glues to the cable jacket during
extrusion. In this way a cable construction for an optical fiber cable is created,
which enables a comparatively small diameter of the cable and a comparatively
cost-effective manufacture.

20 ~~Figure 1~~